

MAY. 1. 2007 2:31PM

TO: Jessica Laux NO. 5727 P. 1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE: APPLICATION OF: George Hardin

SERIAL NO. 10/813,485

FILED: 03/20/2004

FOR: Metallic Shingle Construction

DOCKET NO. GH-Pat.app

EXAMINER: Laux, Jessica L.

GROUP ART UNIT: 3635

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAY 01 2007

ELECTION UNDER 35 USC 121

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated April 11, 2007, please consider this an election of species for the above identified patent application as follows:

Applicant elects species identified by the Examiner as "Species I", which is claimed in Claims 1-9.

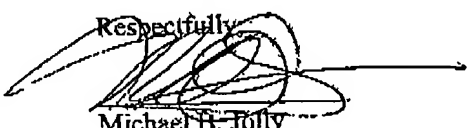
This election is made without traverse

Applicant respectfully request examination of the claims and application as soon as practical.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify this office action response with attached election without traverse is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 on May 1, 2007.

Respectfully,


Michael B. Jolly
405 Main, Suite 1000
Houston, Texas 77002
713-237-8383